

COAL STRIKE ENDED

United States Celebrating Today Great Britain Solemnly Observes Armistice Day

Mine Workers Obey Government Mandate and Recall Strike

Action Taken Under Protest But Committee Decides American Unions Cannot Fight Government—Order Rescinding Strike to Be Sent Out to All Local District and Sub-District Organizations --- Committees Hold All-Night Session and Reach Decision at 4:10 This A. M.—Loyal Americanism a Deciding Factor.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 11.—The United Mine Workers of America, through its general committee, decided early today to obey the mandate of United States District Judge Anderson, which means the recall of the order for a strike of 425,000 bituminous coal miners of the nation.

The decision was reached at 4:10 this morning after more than 17 hours discussion. The conference then adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Acting President John L. Lewis of the mine workers, made the following statement:

"Gentlemen: We will comply with the mandate of the court. We do it under protest. We are Americans. We cannot fight our government. That is all."

None of the other members of the general committee, composed of international officers, district presidents and members of the executive board and scale committee, would comment on the action, and Mr. Lewis, who appeared tired and worn by the long discussion, declined to add anything to his statement.

No draft of the order rescinding the strike which, under Judge Anderson's order must be submitted to the court at 10 o'clock this morning for his approval and be on its way to all local, sub-district and district organizations by six o'clock this evening, had been made when the conference adjourned, it was said, and no intimation of what it would contain could be learned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 11.—Judge A. B. Anderson, in federal court at 10 o'clock this morning, approved the order of the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America calling off the strike of bituminous coal miners.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—"I shall immediately call the miners and operators together to negotiate a wage agreement," Secretary of Labor Wilson said today after a meeting of President Wilson's cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President Wilson probably will telegraph both the coal operators and officials of the United Mine Workers asking them to get together and settle their differences, it was said today at the White House. At the same time the president probably will renew his offer of the services of the government toward mediation.

RESCINDING ORDER TO BE ISSUED
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 11.—An order calling off the nation-wide bituminous coal strike was to be issued today, following the decision of the general committee of the United Mine Workers of America early this morning to obey the mandate of United States District Judge A. B. Anderson, issued here last Saturday. The general committee, composed of international officers, district presidents and members of the executive board and scale committee reached its decision at 4:10 this morning and adjourned five minutes later to reconvene at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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way to the membership by 6 o'clock this evening. So far as could be learned no committee was appointed at the conference to write the order.

The general committee had been in session since shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning, taking only brief recesses for lunch and dinner. The proceedings were interrupted during the afternoon session by the appearance of United States Marshal Mark Storen and his deputies, who served 33 of the officials with copies of the temporary injunction, issued Saturday and returnable December 1.

Hall Carefully Guarded.
During the day approaches to the entrance of the hall were carefully guarded by a sergeant-at-arms, and during recesses a man remained on guard in the hall, but in the later hours of the conference the sergeant-at-arms disappeared. The speeches at times were impassioned and voices in the hall rose above the hubbub of the hotel in which the conference was held but only a word now and then was distinguishable. It is understood that all phases of the question were argued and the effect various actions might have on the organization entered into the discussion, but, according to members not a vote was taken on any subject until the action early today was decided upon.

Lewis and Green Conference.

Shortly before the conference adjourned President Lewis and William Green, secretary-treasurer, held a long conference in the parlor of the hotel. Developments after this conference came rapidly.

The recall of the strike order will open the way immediately for a resumption of the negotiations between the miners and the operators as the operators have announced that they would be ready to consider a new wage agreement at any time the strike order was withdrawn. It is also understood that the question of arbitration entered largely into the discussion in the final stages of the meeting, but the miners' position on this subject was not announced.

The question of just how many of the coal miners would obey the order rescinding the strike is problematical. In some districts it was considered that the resumption of work would be general, while in others it would be only partial and in some, it was said, the return would be very slow.

Most Momentous Meeting of Order.
The meeting was probably the most momentous ever held by the miners' organization, if not the most weighty ever conducted by a labor organization in this country for, in the view of labor leaders, it was to determine whether an organization could be forced by governmental pressure through the courts to discontinue a strike, when apparently all the members of the union were behind the walkout, which was being conducted without any form of violence or damage to property.

Labor in general, as represented by the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor, had offered its unqualified support to the miners in their strike while obedience or disobedience of a federal court order hung in the balance and this fact gave miners' representatives, who favored holding out, an argument which weighed heavily with some of their colleagues.

On the other hand, the president's designation of the strike as unlawful, placed the coal workers in the position of defying the government of the United States, if they refused to call off the strike and, aside from the consequences attaching to disobedience of the federal court order, many were adverse to considering anything which could be construed as lack of Americanism.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Investigation of the strike was proposed in a resolution introduced by Senator Jones, Republican, Washington. The resolution was referred to the senate labor committee which will determine whether an inquiry is advisable.

The resolution would give the com-

SERIOUS RIOTING IN CORK

Soldier's Enraged By Constant Attacks By the Civilians.

POLICE LINES BROKEN

Military and Civilians Clash and Many Are Injured.

CORK, Nov. 11.—Constant collisions between the military and civilians here culminated in serious rioting last night when soldiers, enraged in consequence of frequent attacks upon them, broke through the police lines and came into conflict with the crowd. Sticks and stones were freely used and belts were removed and forcefully swung. There also were a few revolver shots. A captain and a private of the troops were badly wounded.

The police eventually dispersed the crowds and got the soldiers back to their barracks.

MINE WORKERS RELEASED.
COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 11.—Luke Brennan and Thomas Howells, officers of the United Mine Workers of America, were dismissed from custody late yesterday after a hearing on information charging them with violating the state law requiring a 30-day notice before calling a strike.

ATTORNEYS ISSUES ORDER.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 11.—The order to rescind was presented to the court by Henry Warrum, Indianapolis, attorney for the miners. After the court proceedings Mr. Warrum, G. L. Grant, Fort Smith, Ark., and F. C. Huebner, Albia, Iowa, associate counsel, then issued a statement in the presence of the government attorneys in which the position of the mine workers was stated.

The statement of the attorneys follows: "The operators have repeatedly declared that they were ready to enter into negotiations with the miners if the strike order were withdrawn. The government has taken the position that in the vindication of its own supremacy the strike order must be withdrawn, before they would take any steps to compel the resumption of such negotiations."

The issue has been submitted to the court and in compliance with the court's ruling has been cancelled and withdrawn. It seems to me that good faith on the part of the operators requires them to meet the miners' representatives at once for the purpose of negotiating a settlement of this wage controversy, and that good faith on the part of the government requires it to see that such a resumption of negotiations is had at once and concluded without delay.

This country abounds with everything except the will to take the good things that abound.

GREAT DAY IN AMERICA

Signing of the Armistice Is Being Celebrated Throughout Country.

DAY OF SOLEMN PRIDE

Gen. March Issues Warm Message to Veterans of World War.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The first anniversary of the signing of the armistice in the world war was observed generally today throughout the United States.

Governors of nearly a dozen states had proclaimed the day a legal holiday, while many mayors through proclamations and public statements called attention to the significance of the day.

President Wilson, in a statement addressed to all Americans, declared "the recollections of Armistice day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service," and with gratitude for victory both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of nations."

General Pershing and Secretaries Baker, Daniels and Lansing also pointed out in statements to the American people the deep and solemn meaning of the day, while General March, chief of staff, in a message "to the veterans," asserted:

"The first anniversary of the armistice finds the country holding in most affectionate remembrance the work you performed so cheerfully and gallantly during your service here and overseas. The story of your participation in the war will inspire future generations. You have now turned your attention to civil problems, in which the lessons you learned in war may be aptly applied. Patriotism, self-control and unity of action make for the future welfare of the country as well as for success in battle. You have stood fast under fire and today your country expects you to stand as firmly in aiding your government and establishing the doctrine of true Americanism as they will endure forever. Having passed through the great struggle, you stand as an example of idealism to coming generations; be inspired with the thought that you must continue to be a good example of the glorious spirit which actuated you in your fight for liberty."

Respect the Uniform.
"Some of you are still in uniform—some of you are in civilian clothes; respect the uniform you wore and honor the country and flag for which you fought."

Washington observed the day with exercises centering about the planting of two memorial trees in Lafayette square opposite the White House. Members of the cabinets and Generals Pershing and March had arranged to take part in the ceremonies. The program called for pronouncement of an invocation by Lieutenant Belvin W. Maynard, the "flying parson," of the air service from a plane in the air through the use of a voice amplifier.

We have failed to get a line on the fellow who put clemency in Clemenceau mainly, we believe, because he has none.

SOLEMN DAY IN LONDON

Colonies of United Kingdom Stand Silent Two Minutes at 11 o'Clock.

MANY SHED TEARS

Most Impressive Scenes Everywhere at Historic Hour.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The anniversary of Armistice day was solemnly observed throughout the United Kingdom today. Two minutes of silent thought were given the dead, not only in the kingdom but in Britain's colonies over all the world, at 11 o'clock this morning, the hour when the armistice took effect a year ago.

The most impressive scenes were witnessed everywhere as the solemn moments were observed. Civic employees stood still at their posts. Judges in their courtrooms, cabinet members in their offices, or wherever they happened to be, and all grades of military and naval men ceased their duties and stood at attention when the clock struck and the rockets burst that signalled the hour. Every man bared his head and in many instances men and women stood sobbing in the streets.

Afterward the bands in the open spaces played the "Doxology," "God Save the King," and "The Bugler's Last Post." Thousands of persons gathered around the monuments erected to the soldiers and deposited wreaths.

EIGHT BELOW IN BUTTE.
HELENA, Mont., Nov. 11.—The thermometer registered 8 below zero at Butte today and the entire state is covered by a heavy snow which fell yesterday and last night. Zero and near zero temperatures were reported from many parts of Montana. The coal supply is reported to be low through the state.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 11.—The snow and windstorm in Nebraska which yesterday crippled trains and telegraph service and found many communities facing fuel shortages had abated today. Some trains were still running late but the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad reported practically normal train service had been restored. Telegraph lines in one of the company's divisions, however, were still down.

MARKET IS BUOYANT.
NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Rescinding of the coal strike order imparted a buoyant tone to stocks at the opening of today's session. Gains of 2 to 5 points were made by leaders, notably steels, equipments, oils and motors. Rails, shipments and numerous miscellaneous issues shared in the advance.

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PEOPLE SUFFERING

Admiral Kolchak Not Discouraged by His Recent Reverses.

OMSK, Monday, Nov. 3.—(By The Associated Press.)—The advance of the Bolsheviks has been held up along the Ishim river at Petropavlovsk. Both sides are seemingly reforming for a new series of battles.

Evacuation of Omsk by civilians, hospitals, government offices and civilian attaches of the army, continues in perfect order. Freezing without, accompanied by a considerable snowfall makes severe the plight of the civilian refugees and the sick and wounded. The American Red Cross has removed a portion of the hospital patients to waiting trains. The railway personnel and the Red Cross personnel, with the exception of doctors and nurses who accompany the sanitary trains, will leave Omsk aboard the train of Ernest Harris, American consul general, should conditions become acute here. The American hospital is going to Irkutsk.

Admiral Kolchak yesterday informed Consul General Harris of his intention to continue the struggle against the Bolsheviks, saying he was not discouraged by the present reverses.

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